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Sad Fatality

Young Man Killed in Climax
District

A sad fatality took place on the farm of F. S. James, in the Climax district, on Wednesday, April 27th, about six p.m., when F. G. Williams, an employee, lost his life.

Just how the accident happened will never be known. Deceased had been in the field all day with a cultivator and eight horses, and was on his way home from the day's work when the accident occurred. Something had gone wrong, and he was heard calling to the horses. Shortly thereafter Mr. James observed the cultivator overturned, and deceased lying on the ground among short distance away. On arriving at the scene he found life to be extinct. The supposition is that Williams had fallen off the cultivator, his head striking a wheel. The only mark on the body was a deep cut behind the ear.

Deceased was 21 years of age, and a great favourite in the district. A native of Wales, he had only been nine months in the country. A brother, W. M. Williams, while his parents and a brother reside in Wales, and to whom much sympathy will be extended in their sad and sudden bereavement.

AN APPRECIATION

The alarming suddenness with which an accident deprived one of the finest young men in the settlement of his life, has cast a gloom over the entire community. Evan G. Williams and his pleasant, open-hearted smile are no more.

The Revs. J. M. Hughes and T. E. Jefferys officiated at his funeral on Friday, April 30th, and both delivered splendid funeral orations, although sorely handicapped by the same house feeling as the large number of people who had gathered together to pay this last tribute to the departed.

Endowed, by nature, with a powerful physique, and a very pleasant disposition, Evan was one of the finest type of young men who ever crossed the Atlantic, and a very desirable member of the settlement. He was a faithful member of Wood River Church and the Male Voice Choir. Rather rough luck to be killed by an accident after serving the Empire for three years without a scratch.

The most heartfelt sympathy of the whole community in general, and the choir in particular, is extended to his sorrowing brother Will.

THE LATE MRS. A. J. CRANDALL

It is with regret that the Herald chronicles the death of Mrs. A. J. Crandall, which took place at her home in Bellingham, Washington, on Saturday, April 24th, at the age of 61 years.

Deceased was well known. Mr. and Mrs. Crandall having been farming in this community for 20 years, most of which time was spent in the Ferrybank district, and it is only recently since they decided to make their home in Washington. Mrs. Crandall was born in Marshfield, Iowa.

She is survived by her husband and a family of eight—two sons and two daughters residing in Alberta, and two sons and two daughters are in Bellingham, Washington.

Another Oil Boom

While a genuine oil boom has not yet struck these parts, the craze has caught hold of some of the districts to the east of us. T. C. While the Wainwright boom has simply burst in a novel fashion. Remembering the last attack, the Herald advises these susceptible to such disease to go and be vaccinated forthwith ere the fever strikes them. One, who part of the Imperial Oil company's geologists never to Wainwright last week and found an amazing if not tragic situation. Samples of oil taken from the wells had every appearance of being pure kerosene. He had suspected of an oil tank at the rear of a hardware store, and it was there he started exploring. There wasn't even a leak, so far as the hardware people knew, but the geologist thought there must be. The tank was about five feet deep, and had a capacity of about 100 gallons. Its bottom was considerably above the top of the wells, the ground sloping gently from the store for the distance of some twenty yards.

Mr. Chapman dug down, and the mystery was solved. For the past five years there must have been a hole in the bottom of the tank, and so the oil seeped through the soil to the wells. That's how Wainwright came to have an oil boom.

INDIAN CHIEF ERMINE SKIN DEAD

Death has called Ermine Skin, chief of the Indians at Hobbsville Indian Reserve, and has removed from the west one of its historic figures, a native of the west, who for the past nearly four years lived in the Edmonton district. The big chief died at the Hobbsville Reserve on Tuesday.

Ermine Skin's life was swamped in the history of Edmonton and the Edmonton district. Away back in those days when Edmonton was merely a trading post, Ermine Skin was here. He traded and bartered with the traders of the old school, and eventually proved himself to be one of the country's loyal native citizens. Reputation claims him to have been a great hunter and trapper in his day; a man who could not be excelled in the native Indian art.

Ermine Skin's name is linked with the Red Rebellion, when efforts made by him resulted in the cessation of many conflicts, and the non-entry of additional tribes into the fight against the white Canadian citizenship of the day. For this loyalty, Ermine Skin was made chief of his tribe, a position he held until his death. The death chief will be succeeded by his son Paoy, who has already passed the half century mark in the matter of years.

Hillias, May 2—Seething has commenced in some sections of western Nova Scotia, where weather conditions permit, but generally throughout the province the farmers have yet to begin their planting. Weather conditions, it is said, favor an earlier start than usual this year.

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